

UNITED STATES NAVY BAND WINDJAMMERS

The Navy Band “Windjammers” woodwind quintet was formed in 1985. The Windjammers maintain a varied repertoire of compositions dating from the 18th to the 20th centuries, based on the woodwind quintet. Their programs also include duets, trios, and quartets, and other instrumentalists often augment the group to perform larger works.

The Windjammers present recitals at concert halls, churches, libraries, museums, and parks throughout the Washington, D.C. area. They also participate in the Navy Band’s “Music in the Schools” program, demonstrating instruments for elementary school students. In addition, members of the quintet are often featured as soloists with the Navy Band.

Oboist Senior Chief Musician R. Scott Alexander directs the quintet. The group also includes Chief Musicians Luelllyn K. Dollard, flute and Eric D. Moore, french horn; and Musicians First Class Adam S. Ebert, clarinet and Michael A. Curtis, bassoon.